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Sir:

On November 27, 2000, Applicants filed an Information Disclosure Statement in the above-captioned matter. In the Information Disclosure Statement, Japanese documents 6-14006; 10-505723 and 2915851 were brought to the Examiner's attention, copies thereof were provided to the Examiner, and a Form PTO-1449 was also provided.

During a telephone conversation with the Examiner, the Examiner Indicated that he would consider Japanese document 10-322752, but would not consider the remaining documents, as he did not have Abstracts or translations in his file.

Accordingly, in order to complete the record regarding the above-identified documents, Applicant herewith attaches English language Abstracts of Japanese P19929.A10.doc

documents 6-14006; 10-505723 and 2915851.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited t contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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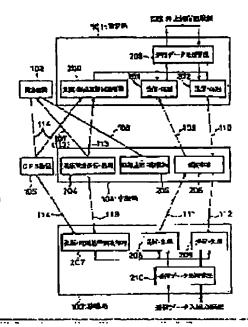
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(54) TIME-SYNCHRONOUS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

(57)Abstract

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To improve efficiency of a communication line and to raduce interference probability of a communication radio wave by setting time synchronization between a fixed station and a mobile station and the transmitting/receiving timings of the side of the fixed station, selecting one of the transmitting/ receiving timings of the side of the fixed station reported to the side of the mobile station and transmitting/receiving based on it to allow the mobile station to select the opposed station of communication.

SOLUTION: The fixed station 101 communicates in two way with the mobile station 103 through the use of a receiving processing means 201 and a transmission processing means 202 based on a time reference maintained by a range and time reference synchronization maintaining means 200. The mobile station 103 communicates in two way with the fixed station 101 through the use of a receiving processing means 209 and a transmission processing means 208 based on a time reference maintained by a range and time reference synchronization maintaining means 207. A relay station 104 synchronize-maintains the time reference with a fixed main station 102 and provides a ranging radio wave 113 to the mobile station by a time reference synchronization maintaining means 205 and a ranging radio wave transmission processing means 204.



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